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GENUINE MUNICH
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AUGUSTINER BRAU
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Per Case of 6 doz. pts. \$18.00.
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MACEWEN, FRICKEL & CO.,
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Business Notices.
W. S. BAILEY & CO.
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No. 20, CONNAUGHT ROAD.

**HONGKONG, CANTON, MACAO
AND WEST RIVER STEAMERS.**

JOINT SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND
MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD., AND THE CHINA
NAVIGATION COMPANY, LTD.

Hongkong-Canton Line.

s.s. HONAM, 2,363 tons, Captain H. D. Jones.
s.s. POOLIN, 2,338 tons, Captain W. A. Valentine.
s.s. FAIRFIELD, 2,250 tons, Captain R. D. Thomas.
s.s. HAWKWOOD, 3,073 tons, Captain J. V. Lloyd.
s.s. KINSHAN, 1,998 tons, Captain J. J. Lissous.
Departures from Hongkong to Canton daily at 6.30 a.m. (Sunday excepted), 9 p.m.
and 10.30 p.m. (Sunday excepted).
Departures from Canton to Hongkong daily at 6.30 a.m., 3 p.m. and 6.30 p.m. (Sunday excepted).

These Steamers, carrying His Majesty's Mail, are the largest and fastest on the River. Special attention is drawn to their Superior Saloon and Cabin accommodation.

Hongkong-Macao Line.

s.s. HEUNGSHAN, 1,998 tons, Captain G. F. Morrison, a.m.m.
Departures from Hongkong to Macao on week days at 2 p.m.
Departures on Sundays at Noon. Departures from Macao to Hongkong daily at 8 a.m.

Canton-Macao Line.

s.s. LUNGSHEH, 219 tons, Captain T. Hamlin.
This steamer leaves Canton for Macao every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8 a.m.; and leaves Macao for Canton every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7.30 a.m.

JOINT SERVICE OF THE H.K., C. AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD., THE CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LTD., AND THE INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LTD.

Canton-Wuchow Line.

s.s. RAINAM, 588 tons, Captain J. Wilcox.
s.s. NANNING, 589 tons, Captain C. Hatchard.
One of the above Steamers leaves Canton for Wuchow every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at about 8 a.m., and the other leaves Wuchow for Canton on the same days at 8.30 a.m. Round trips take about five days. These vessels have Superior Cabin Accommodation and are lighted throughout by electricity.

Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the:-

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.

HOTEL MANSIONS, (First Floor), opposite the Hongkong Hotel.
Or of BUTTERFIELD AND SWINE.

Agents, CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

L'URBaine FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
OF PARIS.

WE have this day RESIGNED the
AGENCY at this Port of the above
Fire Insurance Co.
(Signed) P. LEMAIRE & CO.

Hongkong, February 17, 1906. 341

L'URBaine FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
OF PARIS.

HAVING been APPOINTED, this day,
by Agents at Hongkong for the above
Insurance Co., we are prepared to accept
Risks at current rates.

MACEWEN, FRICKEL & CO.,
3, Duddell Street.
Hongkong, February 17, 1906. 342

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
LIMITED.

NOTICE.

FROM this date, and during the Absence
of Mr. GPO. L. TOMLIN from the
Colony, Mr. G. PEPPERTON has been
Appointed ACTING SECRETARY to the
Company.

A. G. WOOD,
Chairman.

NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited for the Purchase
of some 800,000 Pounds of IRON and
STEEL MATERIALS removed from the
Iron Batter in the Canton River, com-
prising Segments and CYLINDRICAL PILLS,
CANTON HEADS, SHAFTS, SCREWS, etc.,
which are lying at the SHAHU PORT, near
Whampoa.

Further particulars may be obtained from
the Harbour Master, at Canton, or from
the Whampoa Customs Station.

No guarantee is given that the highest or
any tender will be accepted.

F. J. MAYERS,
Acting Commissioner of Customs.
Custom House.

Canton, February 8, 1906. 286

THE POPULAR
SCOTCH
IS
BLACK & WHITE

No. 14, BEACONSFIELD ARCADE.

WE beg to notify the Public generally
of Hongkong that we have just
OPENED a First-class Tonsorial Hall at
the above address. We make Cleanliness a
Speciality.

VICENTE BARCENILLA, Proprietor.

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LIMITED.

To ARRIVE BY THE S.S. "GLENSTRAE".

FRESH SUPPLY
OR
HAIR FRAMES,

HAIR PINS,
&c., &c., &c.

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ESTIMATES GIVEN
FOR WORK FINISHED COMPLETE.

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Bags of 1 cwt. each.

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In Casks of 375 lbs. net, \$4.75 per Cask, ex Factory.

In Bags of 250 lbs. net, \$2.80 per Bag, ex Factory.

Shewan, Tomes & Co.

GENERAL MANAGERS.

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NEW MILLINERY

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MODEL GOWNS,

COSTUMES, BLOUSES,

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MADE UP.

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THREE MINUTES' WALK FROM POST OFFICE.
SPECIAL TERMS FOR MONTHLY BOARDERS.

29, WYNDHAM STREET.

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N. S. W. AND THE
COMMONWEALTH.

Foreshadowing Secession.

SYDNEY, JAN. 18.

At a public meeting held here to-day, presided over by the mayor, approval was expressed of the resolutions adopted by the Legislative Council and Assembly on December 7 and 3 respectively, recording the profound dissatisfaction of the New South Wales Parliament at the treatment of the State by the Commonwealth authorities, especially with regard to the question of the Federal capital.—Reuters.

THE LIVERPOOL RAT VIRUS.

The Shooting Times and British Sportsman has recently been making some trials of the Liverpool Rat Virus, prepared by Messrs Evans, Sons, Leeser, and Webb, Ltd., of Hanover-street, Liverpool. This is not a poison in the ordinary sense of the term, but is a bacteriological culture grown on the surface of nutrient jelly, which, when mixed with food, is readily eaten by rats and mice, and produces in them a disease which is fatal in from seven to 14 days, and which spreads from animal to animal. It is perfectly harmless to man and domestic animals, and the body of a rat which has died from the disease will not impart the same to any other animal except those of its own race. It is very easily prepared for use, and is fed to the vermin upon pieces of bread or in corn soaked in the dilution.

It was tried first in and around the houses and buildings of a small holding which was literally overrun with rats. In seeking for their haunts the experimenters discovered a store to which the vermin had carried nearly a bushel of carrots and beetroot and old linen and woollen gear, consisting of the remnants of handkerchiefs, shawls, stockings, etc., for the disappearance of which no person could be surprised, and for which various people had been blamed.

The result of the first employment of the virus was entirely satisfactory and, following upon a second, the rats completely disappeared, many having been found dead round about the place, but none within the adjoining dwelling-house. Enquiries made at adjoining premises confirm the fact that the rats there also disappeared or had greatly diminished in numbers. The virus was used also around the farm buildings of a considerable homestead with an equally favourable result.

A SAFE REMEDY
FOR ALL
SKIN AND BLOOD DISEASES

If you suffer from any disease due to an impure state of the Blood, visit whatever cause it may be, yet should test the value of Clarke's Blood Mixture. This well-known Blood Purifier and Restorer, "The medicine has 40 years' reputation, and is to-day more popular than ever, if a result of its being undoubtedly because this wonderful remedy does what it professes to do—it cures SKIN AND BLOOD DISEASES PERMANENTLY."

Clarke's
Blood
Mixture

IS THE FINEST BLOOD PURIFIER
EVER DISCOVERED.

It is warranted to cleanse the blood from all impurities, from whatever cause arising. For

SCHROFULA, BAD LEGS,
SCOURVY, BLOTHOMES,
ECZEMA, SPOTS,
BLOOD POISON, BLACKHEADS,
ULCERS, PIMPLES, and
SKIN & BLOOD SORES OF ALL
DISEASES KINDS.

It is a safe and permanent Remedy. It is the only real specific for Gout and Rheumatic Pains, for it removes the cause from the Blood and Bones.

NOTE. This mixture is pleasant to the taste, and warranted free from anything injurious to the most delicate constitution of either sex, from infancy to old age, and the Proprietors solicit sufferers to give it a trial to test its value.

Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected by it.

TRYED MANY THINGS WITHOUT
BENEFIT UNTIL I TOOK
CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE.
Mr. F. E. Lewis, 48, Bridge Street Row,
Chester, writes—Just a few lines to thank Mr. Clarke's for his Blood Mixture. I had suffered from many things without benefit until I took your remedy. After the eighth bottle I was quite well again. Please send this letter as a proof of gratitude to your敬爱的 "Clarke's Blood Mixture."—June 18, 1903.

INDUSTRIES IN THE BLOOD.—We have seen sheets of letters from all sorts and conditions of people, in which they acknowledge the benefits they have received from Clarke's Blood Mixture, which a medical agent cannot be too highly commended, since it cures and franchises the blood from all impurities, and restores it to its normal condition. This is a good testimonial from the *Family Doctor*, the popular medical weekly, which goes on further to say: "It is, certainly, the finest blood purifier, medicine and skill have brought to light, and we can with the greatest confidence recommend it to our subscribers and public generally."

SOLD BY ALL Chemists and Patent
Medicines throughout the World.

ASK FOR
CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE
and receive a valuable collection of medicines.

AN HOUR IN HAVANA.

If the finest quality blander Havana Tobacco made by skilled scientific labour counts for anything

THE YOUNG AMERICAN
CIGARS

MUST BE THE BEST VALUE IN THE
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THEY ARE!

If you have not
tried them already buy
a box at once from your
CIGAR MERCHANT.

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Successors to Fr. Blunck.

SILK LACE MANUFACTURERS,
EMBROIDERIES, and GRASS-CLOTH DRAWN WORK.
EMBROIDERED SILK and GRASS-CLOTH DRESS and BLOUSE PATTERNS.
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INVITED.

TRADE MARK.
BURLINGTON PREMISES 2, PEDDER STREET.
Hongkong, February 14, 1906.

MIYAKO HOTEL,
KYOTO, JAPAN.

A NEW AND STRICTLY FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.

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THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the COMPANY'S HOTEL on SATURDAY, the 3rd March, 1906, at 12.15 P.M., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts of the Company to the 31st December, 1905, with the Report of the Directors, and to discuss any matter that may be competently brought before the Meeting.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 26th February, to the 3rd March, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
C. MOONEY,
Secretary.

Hongkong, February 26, 1906.

THE CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above-named Company will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company at Queen's Building, Victoria, on the Colony of Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 8th March, 1906, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1905.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 23rd February to the 8th March, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
JAMES WHITTALL,
Secretary.

Hongkong, February 10, 1906.

RESONTATION.

(1) That the Articles of Association of the Company be altered in the following manner:

Following the Article shall be substituted for Article 150, namely:

150.—The Board through its Secretaries shall make Yearly Statements of the Accounts of the Company from the 1st day of January to the 31st day of December, in each year, and every year, which shall be duly audited and presented to the Shareholders, at each of the Ordinary Meetings of the Company, together with a Report on the general condition of the Company.

(2) That the Board, through its Secretary, shall make a Statement of the Accounts of the Company as from the 1st day of May, 1905, to the 31st

December, 1905, which shall be duly audited and presented to the Shareholders at the next Ordinary Meeting of the Company to be held during 1906 and that, inasmuch as the Accounts of the Company have

already been audited and presented to the Shareholders to the 30th April, 1906, no further or other Statements of the Accounts of the Company for the year 1905, shall be called for or presented to the Shareholders in respect of Article 150 as this day substituted.

Dated the February 16, 1906.

Price One Dollar.

FOR SALE At The CHINA MAIL OFFICE

5 Wyndham Street.

Dated the February 16, 1906.

Intimations.

MITSU BISHI CO.

COAL DEPARTMENT.

MARUNO-UCHI, TOKIO.

CABLE ADDRESS : IWASAKI,
which applies to all Branch Offices and
Hongkong and Shanghai Agencies.

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MANAGER, MITSU BISHI CO., WITH
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BRANCH OFFICES.
NAGASAKI, MOJI, KOBE, KARATSU
AND HANKOW.

AGENCIES.
SHANGHAI: R. J. H. TAPP.
HONGKONG: H. U. JEFFRIES.
YOKOHAMA: M. ARAI.
CHINKiang: GEARING & CO.
MANILA: MACDONALD & CO.

CONTRACTORS OF COAL to the Imperial Japanese Navy and Foreign Navies; the Imperial Arsenals; the Imperial Railways, Sanpo, Kinshu and the other Principal Railways; Industrial Works; Home and Foreign Mail and Freight Steamers.

EXPORTERS OF COAL to Hongkong, Shanghai, Hankow, Singapore, Manila, North China, Korean ports and America.

SOLE PROPRIETORS of Takashima,

Ochi, Shinanow, Namazita and Kami-

Xamada Collieries, and also Hajo Colliery

which will shortly be ready to produce on

a large scale the best Bitzen Coal.

Some Agents for Kiyo, Komatsu (Tagawa)

and Yoshiromachi (Katsuta).

The Head and Branch Offices and the

Agencies of the Company will receive any

order for Coals produced from the above

Collieries.

Coal sold in 1904 by the Company

amounted to 1,820,000 tons.

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is admitted by the profession to be the most wonderful and valuable remedy ever discovered.

is the best remedy known for Coughs, Colds, Consumption, Bronchitis,

Asthma, acts like a charm in Diarrhoea, and is the only specific in Cholera, and

Dysentery.

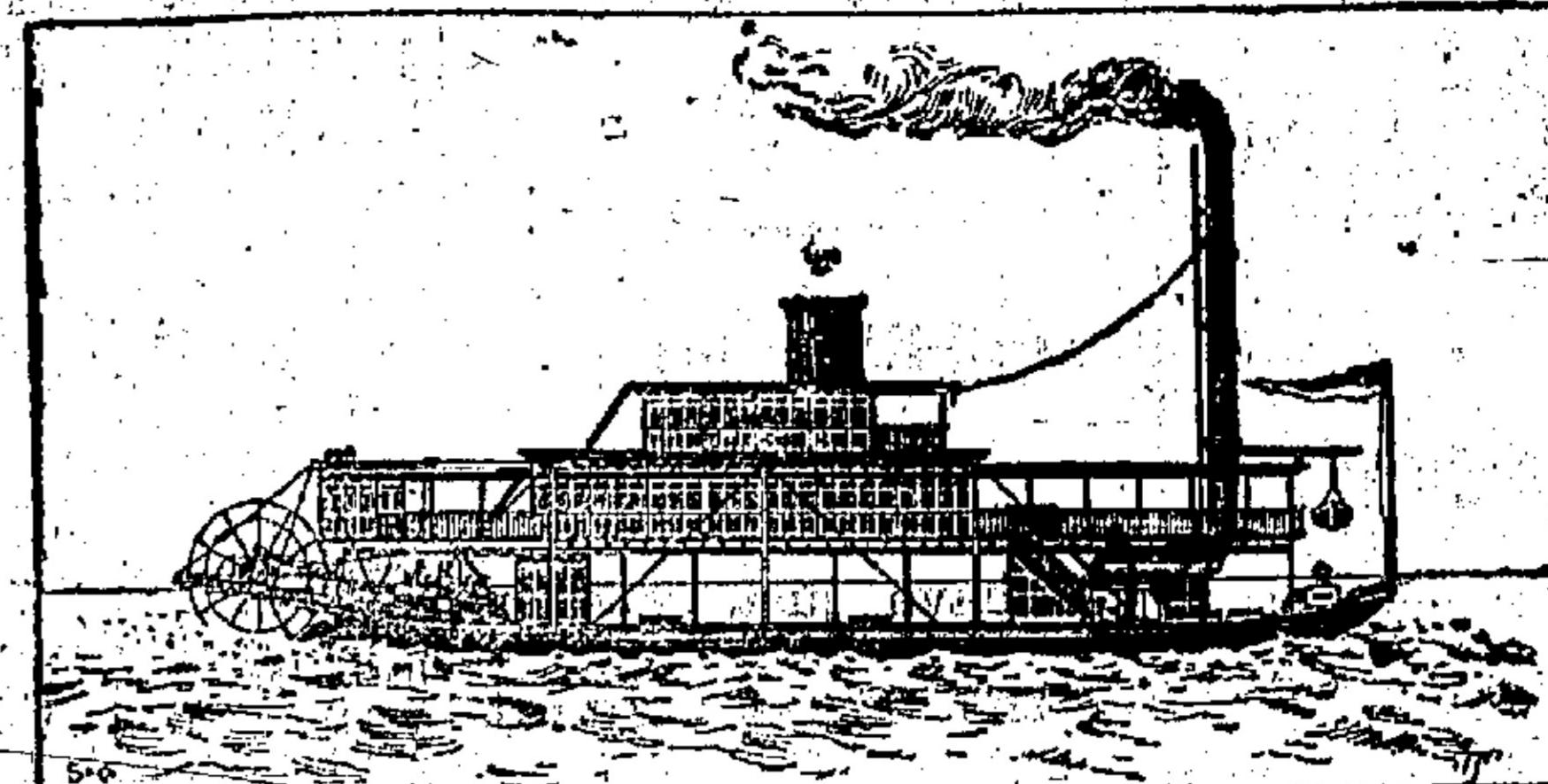
effectually cuts short all attacks of Epilepsy, Mysterin, Palpitation

and Spasms.

is the only palliative in Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Gout, Cancer, Toothache,

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YARROW'S SHALLOW DRAFT STEAMERS.



STEINWHEEL STEAMERS have been found by experience to be the best type of vessel for shallow river navigation under many conditions of working, and of these Messrs. Yarrow have built a very large number of successful examples for all parts of the world.

Vessels on this system are constructed where required, to draw as little as 10 inches.

The construction of shallow river vessels propelled on various systems has been made the specialty of Messrs.

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For particulars apply to
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Dr. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S
CHLORODYNE

(THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE.)

Always ask for "Dr. J. Collis Browne's Chlorodyne," and beware of spurious compounds or imitations. The genuine bears the

words "Dr. J. Collis Browne's Chlorodyne" on the Government Stamp of each bottle.

Sold in Bottles—Prices in England, 1/1, 2/9, and 4/6 each.

(Overwhelming Medical Testimony accompanies each bottle.)

Sole Manufacturers: J. T. DAVENPORT, Limited, LONDON.

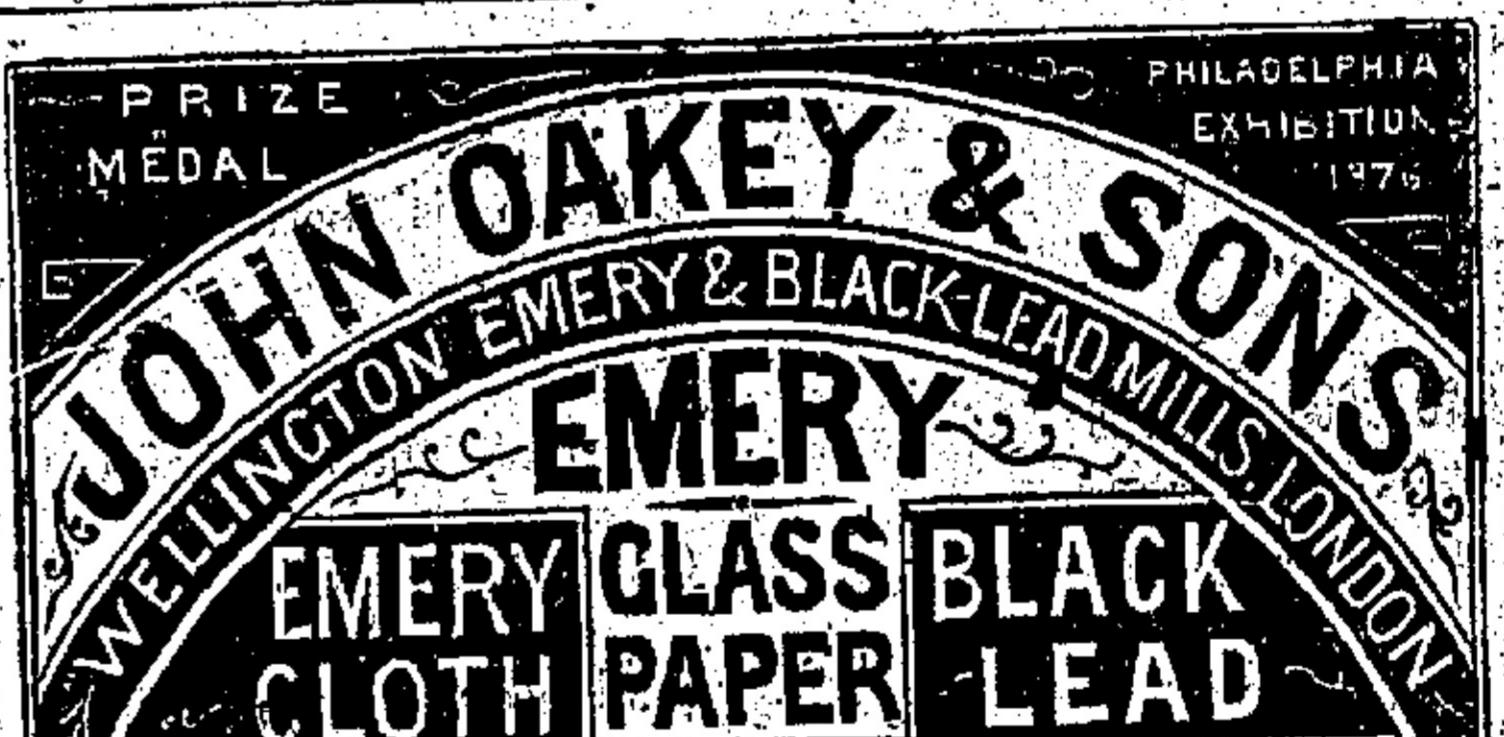
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Dr. M. H. CHAUN,

THE Latest Method of the AMERICAN
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37, DES VIGNES ROAD, CENTRAL,
From the University of Pennsylvania,
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TERMS VERY MODERATE
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JOHN OAKEY & SONS, Limited, "WELLINGTON" MILLS, LONDON.

DRINK - -
THE ONLY GENUINE

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BEWARE OF SPURIOUS
IMITATIONS

which are unpalatable and sometimes
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Per Case of 48 Pints \$8.50
Per Dozen Pints \$1.70
Per Case of 100 Splits \$8.00
Per Dozen Splits \$1.10

TANSAN
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Experts Testify That

TANSAN MAKES THE MOST
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Per Case 48 PINTS \$7.75
Per Dozen PINTS 1.95
Per Case 50 SPLITS 5.25
Per Dozen SPLITS 1.30

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POWELL'S
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**MODERATE
CHARGES.**

Wm. POWELL, Ltd.,
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The **SAVOY,**
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QUEEN'S ROAD.
We have just received
the Finest Assort-
ment of SPRING and
SUMMER

TIES,

GRAVATS,
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&c., &c., &c.,

Ever Brought to the East.

OVER 100 DOZEN

TO SELECT FROM.

PRICES RANGE

FROM 4 FOR

\$1.00 to \$3.50
EACH.

THE SAVOY, Ltd.,

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TO SMOKERS.

IT is a well-known fact, admitted by the EGYPTIAN CIGARETTE MANUFACTURERS themselves, that Cigarettes imported from Egypt are made from TURKISH TOBACCO, which is subject to a heavy Import Duty in Egypt. Hongkong being a Free Port tobacco can be imported free of duty.

Two Good Reasons why it is advantageous to Smoke my Cigarettes.

1.—Cheapness of my Cigarettes compared to imported cigarettes, owing to tobacco being admitted duty-free into Hongkong, and that you're buying direct from the Manufacturer, doing away with middlemen's profits.

2.—Freshness of my Cigarettes, as they are made daily for each day's consumption, which makes it impossible to have an old stock of Cigarettes, as is very likely with imported Cigarettes.

The following is a list of my Cigarettes made from the Best Turkish Tobacco at from 40% to 50% cheaper than imported cigarettes of equal quality.

| NAME | SIZE | IN BOXES | PRICE |
|-------------------------|--------------------|----------|---------|
| Great Britain, large | 50 | 24.50 | per 100 |
| Venus, large | 50 & 100 | 3.00 | |
| Hongkong Club | cork tipped, large | 5 & 100 | 3.00 |
| Admiral, medium | 100 | 5.25 | |
| Princess, gold | large | 2.00 | |
| Flor de Oro, large | 50 | 2.00 | |
| Flor de Oro, with tubes | small | 2.00 | |
| Military (cig.) | medium | 1.50 | |
| Military (cig.) | large | 1.50 | |
| Ginger, medium | 1.50 | | |
| Paris, small | 1.50 | | |

The Peak Tramway, medium 100 1.50

Emperor of China (gold)

tipped) medium 100 1.20

Lustreto, medium 100 1.00

We also make cheap cigarettes of second grade Turkish Tobacco at \$0.00 per 100.

Minimum Quantity sold—1,000.

To Messes, Clubs, Hotels and all large Buyers, Special Terms are allowed.

SOLE AGENTS:

T. E. P. SPYROULOS,

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**THE HONGKONG FROZEN
FOOD SUPPLY.**

THE DEPOT OPENS AT 6 A.M.

The following are in Stock:

PINE Australian Beef, Mutton, Lamb,

Pork, DAIRY FARM FRESH MEAT & VEAL,

Bacon, Best English 75 cts. per lb

Bacon, Best Australian 70 cts. per lb

Cheese, Dairy Farm Fed, Ureswood 1.00 each

Chickens, do 75 cts. each

Chickens' Liver 4 cts. each

Chickens' Gizzards 4 cts. each

Ducks, Local (frozen) 65 cts. each

Ducks, Wild 75 cts. each

Australian Smoked Mullet 50 cts. per lb

do, Schnapper 50 cts. each

Geese, Local (dressed) 85 cts. each

Hare, Australian 1st Grade 85 cts. each

Hare, Best York 70 cts. per lb

Hare, Australian (Pineapple) 65 cts. per lb

(one extra per lb for Ham if cut).

Haddock, Fresh Canadian 40 cts. each

Honey, Best Australian 80 cts. per lb

Kidneys, Australian 5 cts. each

Oysters, American, large size 82.50 per tin

Australian Oysters 24 doz. tins \$1.00, per lb

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bottles a large bottle

Pheasants, Local 25 cts. each

Pigeons, Local 25 cts. each

Pigeons, Wild, Dressed 20 cts. each

Rabbit, Australian 1st Grade 65 cts. each

Rabbit, Local 81.00 per dozen

Salmon, Australian Fresh 80 cts. per lb

Salmon, Fresh Canadian 40 cts. each

Tongues, Australian Sheep 20 cts. each

Turkeys, Australian (picked) 70 cts. per lb

Special Note.

Orders required to be filled in the Early

Morning should be sent in before 3.30 p.m.

the previous day.

Orders for Noon should be sent in by

8.00 a.m. the same day.

Orders for 4.30 p.m. should be sent in by

Noon the same day. 1278

BIRTH.

Von RUCKEN, On February 18, at 116,

Bubbling Well Road, Shanghai, the wife

of H. von RUCKEN, of a Daughter.

MARRIAGE.

Dr. BOE-ZEPH.—On January 4, at

Camden, South Carolina, U.S.A. by the Rev.

Rev. C. C. Herbert, assisted by the Rev.

Samuel M. Smith, D.D., Kizanji

Carens Zeph, youngest daughter of the late E. C. Zeph Esq., and the Rev.

PALMER USHAW D. BOE, of the South

Presbyterian Mission, Soochow.

DEATHS.

HEWITT.—On the 18th of February,

after a protracted illness, Manx, the

beloved wife of W. J. Hewitt, L. M.

Customs, Shanghai.

CAMPBELL.—On February 18, at Shanghai,

THOMAS P. de CAMPOS, aged 55 years.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Goods, per Date not cleared at 4 p.m.

on this date subject to rent.

Transfer Books of Hongkong Hotel Co., Ltd., close from this date to 3rd March

inclusive.

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

AUCTIONS.

11 a.m.—Auction of Sundry Condemned

Stores, at Central Police Station's

Compound.

1.30 p.m.—Auction of Photographic

Glass, &c., Automatic Photo Studio,

etc., at No. 2, Mountain View,

the Peak.

2.45 p.m.—Auction of Household Furni-

ture, &c., at No. 2, Mountain View,

the Peak.

3 p.m.—Auction of Crown Lands at the

Public Works Department's Offices;

Meeting:

Noon—Meeting of Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., at Co.'s Office.

Amusements:

9 p.m.—Performance at City Hall.

Miscellaneous:

Goods per Oceanian, unclaimed after

this date at Noon will be subject to

rent and landing charges.

Goods per Persia undelivered after this

date subject to rent.

General Memoranda.

TUESDAY, February 27.—

2.45 p.m.—Auction of Household Furni-

ture, at Dunford's, The Peak.

5.30 p.m.—Organ Recital in St John's

Cathedral.

Gooding's Fornaces not cleared at 4 p.m.

on this date subject to rent.

Goods per Radnorshire undel

THE "CHARLES HARDOUIN."

Successfully Towed off the Rocks.

The Dock Company's tug "Robert Cooke" which was despatched yesterday afternoon to try and tow the Canton River steamer "Charles Hardouin" off the rocks, where she stranded in going through the Capelmao Pass, successfully accomplished her task. After making all necessary arrangements the stranded steamer was towed into deep water at about 7 o'clock. She then came to her wharf, under her own steam. She is at present at the Kowloon Docks were the extent of the damage suffered will be ascertained, and the necessary repairs effected.

A NOTORIOUS BRIGAND.

Imprisoned at Canton.

Some time ago the notorious brigand Tai Kan Hsing was believed extradited from Hongkong. Since then he has been kept safely chained up in the Nam Hoi's prison. What special deprivations he is now to be condemned for the report does not say.

He is the brother of the yet more famous Tai Mui Hsing, who was brought up for examination the twenty eighth of the Chinese month, and the British Consul-General was present. There were two witnesses present whose main duty was to identify the prisoner.

His sullenly disallowed all attempts to identify him, and denied that he was Tai Kan Hsing at all.

His denial, however, served him to little purpose for he was condemned.

FORGED PASSAGE TICKETS.

N. D. L. Company Defrauded.

Li Yu Mui, a Chinaman who described himself as a bank clerk, was charged, at the Magistrate this morning, with having forged certain documents purporting to be passage tickets issued by the Norddeutsche Lloyd company to entitle the bearer to travel from Hongkong to Bangkok.

Mr. J. Edge appeared to prosecute, and the defendant was unrepresented. Evidence was called to the effect that the defendant was found to be selling passage tickets and one of the witnesses obtained £1 from him for deck passengers to travel by the steamer "Loo Sok." The tickets were sold under the usual price and the purchaser becoming suspicious went to the steamer's compatriot to see if they were good. The compatriot promptly detected that the tickets were forged. Detective Wilden then made inquiries with the result that he arrested the defendant at No. 283 Queen's Road West and there found a book of passage tickets and some forged tickets. The tickets were imitations of those issued by the N. D. L. Company.

The defense was committed for trial at the next Criminal Sessions.

THE KING OF SPAIN'S MARRIAGE.

The Religious Question.

(From Our Correspondent.)
Paris, January 26.

Princess Henry of Battenburg and Princess Ena Eugene, her daughter, have just paid a return visit to Paris. They stayed in an old-fashioned hotel in the Rue St. Honore, the Hotel Albany and St. James, where Royalty and the Grand Monde do not frequent. On Sunday morning, January 14, at Christchurch, the rue d'Augusteau, the congregation were greatly surprised to know after the service that the rather plainly dressed lady and the beautiful young lady who accompanied her were Their Royal Highnesses.

The Princess Ena has a very sweet voice and sang the hymns and chanted the Psalms with as much zeal and warmth as the most ardent Anglican. Hence it seems that it will not be so easy for Cardinal Mercier Delval to bring about the public "Reception" at Rome of the Princess into the Roman Communion. The feeling is very strong in Paris among the English and American church people, and I hear also on other parts of the Continent, against the marriage of the Princess with the King of Spain if it is to be on the condition that the princess should be received exactly as if she were a pagan. The Pope, of course, could by a word give the consent that the Princess should be treated in all respects as a baptized Christian, which she is, and not as a heathen, which she is not.

Queen Alexandra feels very strongly on this point, to the effect that as a royal Churchwoman, and it is more than probable that the feelings of the English nation will have some weight, especially in its accordance with the Canonical law, rather than the Ultra-Montane or the Vatican. Their Royal Highnesses left Paris on January 17.

The Paris newspapers quote the following from Rome: "The Princess Ena of Battenburg has written to the Pope announcing her intention of entering the Roman Catholic Church. She asks for the apostolic blessing for her marriage with the King of Spain if it will be on the condition that the country which will be her's is necessarily vague and in accordance with diplomacy. It will be curious to notice the result. All this subterfuge and diplomatic ruse might be avoided if certain clerics would remember we are living in the 20th century and not in the 12th or 14th."

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COMPANY MEETINGS.

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

The ordinary half-yearly meeting of the shareholders of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation was held in the City Hall at noon. Mr. H. W. Slade was in the chair and there were also present:

Hon. Mr. Shaw, Hon. Mr. O. W. Dickson, Messrs. A. Haupt, E. Goetz, O. R. Lenzmann, N. A. Siebs, G. H. Mulhurst, F. Salinger, E. Shollin (Directors), J. R. M. Smith (Chief Manager), Hon. Mr. Gershon Stewart, Messrs. J. A. Jupp, W. H. Gaskell, G. Murray Bain, S. Hancock, H. E. R. Hunter, A. G. Morris, J. C. Peter, Dr. Noble, C. W. May, H. N. Mody, R. J. Stabb, Captain Tillett, H. M. H. Nemazee, H. W. Frasier, Ho Fook, J. J. Leiris, J. Barton, C. E. Anton, R. R. Hynd, L. Berindouque, F. A. Gomez, R. Layton, Ho Kom Tong, W. S. Jackson, Wong Leung Hui, J. A. Ching, J. MacArthur, W. Laysburgh, A. R. Love, J. R. Michael, J. Orange, C. H. Rogge, A. Rodger, D. Kadourie, Capt. Goddard, W. H. Wickham, A. Forbes, W. H. Purcell, Lo Cheung Shiu, Cheung Pui Kai, H. S. Michael, O. H. Thompson, E. S. Kadourie, D. Forbes, J. M. S. Alves, A. V. Apac, H. Schreiter, S. A. Levy and C. J. Gonsalves.

The Chairman announced his willingness to answer any questions, but none being asked, he moved the adoption of the report and statement of accounts.

Mr. Jupp—I have much pleasure in seconding the report and statement of accounts, I feel I am only voicing the sentiments of all shareholders present in congratulating the Directors, the Chief Manager and staff on the splendid results they are again able to place before us. The bonus of 15 per cent of their salaries voted to the staff, I am confident meets with the very hearty approval of all shareholders (applause).

As regards the dividend and bonus proposed to be distributed—we have also good reason to be pleased to see a gradual increase of returns to shareholders. We are all relieved I am sure that the terrible war which raged for eighteen months in this part of the world is now a thing of the past and that a revival in trade is beginning to be apparent. The strong position attained by the Bank should I think be a source of congratulation and pride not only to its shareholders but to the whole Colony. The Colony and The Corporation have grown up together so to speak and each has contributed to the growth of the other. I cannot think better therefore than conclude these few remarks with the wish that they may long continue to thrive and flourish to their mutual benefit and advantage and to the good of us all. I have much pleasure in seconding the adoption of the report and accounts.

The motion was carried.

The appointment of Mr. Lenzmann as director and the re-election of Messrs. H. W. Slade, E. Shollin and E. Goetz were carried on the motion of Mr. Thompson, seconded by Captain Tillett.

Mr. Hancock moved the re-election of

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The Chairman—That is all the business gentlemen, thank you for your attendance, we will now proceed to the unveiling of the statue to Sir Thomas Jackson.

Dr. Noble—Gentlemen, before we part I should like you to join me in a hearty vote of thanks to the Court of Directors, Chief Manager and Managers, and staff generally (applause). They have all served us and worked diligently and faithfully during the period under review. They are each and all deserving of the greatest praise for the splendour in which they have managed the vast sums entrusted to their care, as is shown by the accounts which have been passed by you. As each report comes forth I always remark that I cannot imagine how on earth they are able to maintain this splendid standard of excellence, but they do it, and therefore I ask you to join me in a vote of thanks to the Court of Directors, Chief Manager, Managers and staff generally (applause).

Mr. H. W. Slade briefly returned thanks.

demand for foreign manufacturers and the opening of new and more extended markets in this large and important province. Gentlemen, the Bank continues to improve its position; we have made a good start for the present half year and I think you may safely look forward with confidence to the future.

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SIR THOMAS JACKSON.

Statue Unveiled.

The ceremony of unveiling the fine statue which has been erected in commemoration of Sir Thomas Jackson's connection with the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation was performed to-day at 12.45.

There was a large number of people present to witness the ceremony, and His Excellency the Governor, who had accepted the director's invitation to unveil the statue arrived practically to time, being attended by Captain Leslie, A. D. C. Amongst those present were the directors and shareholders of the bank, who attended the half yearly meeting, Sir Paul Chater, Sir Francis T. Pigott, Hon. Mr. T. Sercombe, Smith, Capt. Lloyd, Messrs. G. De Champeaux, H. P. White, F. B. Deacon, G. H. Potts, T. Owens, C. H. Grace, T. R. Hough, E. A. Ram, H. Humphreys, W. G. Humphreys, Capt. Clarke, A. Donson, J. P. Cochran, C. E. H. Bevan and many others.

His Excellency on arrival was received

by Mr. H. W. Slade, who, inviting him to unveil the statue, said:—

Your Excellency and Gentlemen—By

way of introduction to the ceremony which we are about to take part in, I will briefly recapitulate the circumstances which have led to it. Sir Thomas Jackson took over the chief management of the Hongkong Bank in 1878 when its fortunes were not very flourishing, when indeed its circulation had fallen to 1892, leaving the institution proudly established as the premier Bank in the Far East. He was always the first to claim that these results were in a large measure due to the splendid services rendered by the men who were associated with him in his life's work, but, on the other hand, have always been ready to attribute them to his able leadership. A born leader he was—every one who has known him on his services abroad knows that he is not to be equalled in that respect.

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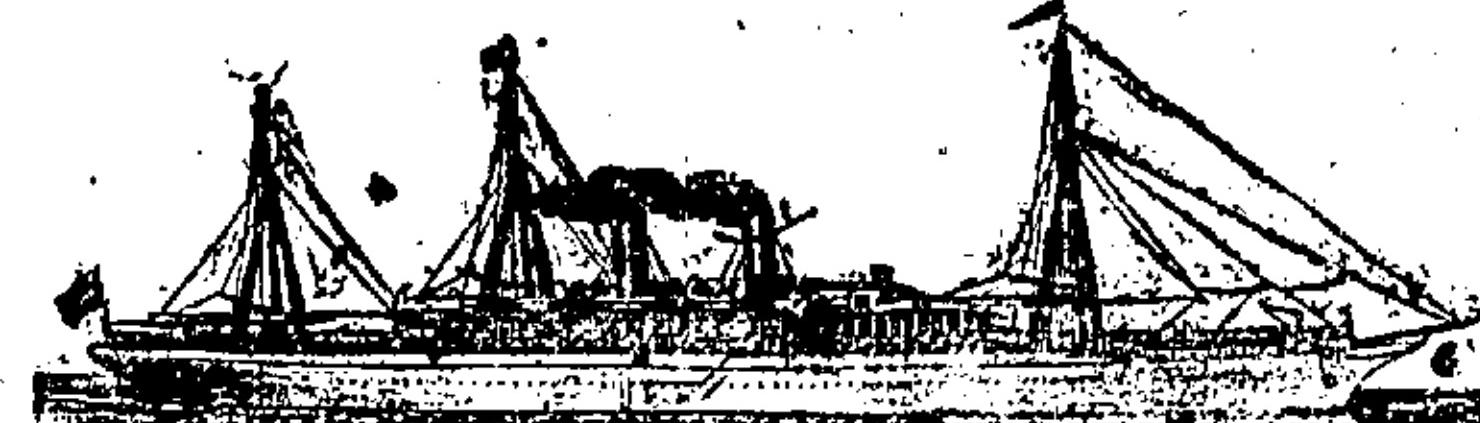
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FULL REPORTS.

HOTEL BALTIMORE.

SPORTING.
Racquets.

The following are the handicaps and draw for the Racquets Tournament:—
SINGLES: R. T. Birbeck (rec. 2 hands and 8 points) a byo; R. Hancock (scr.) v. Lt. H. Lowell (rec. 2 hands and 6 pts); T. E. Pearce (rec. 2 h. and 8 p.) v. Lt. Cass Morris (rec. 2' h. and 8 p.); T. C. Gray (rec. 2 h. and 0 p.); Lt. Col. Fliton (rec. 2 h. and 4 p.); Lt. Duncan (rec. 2 h. and 0 p.) v. H. W. Shadé (rec. 2 h. and 4 p.); G. H. Edwards (rec. 2 h. and 7 p.); Capt. Vercer (rec. 2 h. and 2 p.); Lt. F. B. Humphreys (rec. 2 h. and 8 p.); Lt. M. W. Graham (rec. 2 h. and 3 p.) a byo; Lt. M. W. Graham (rec. 2 h. and 3 p.) a byo.

DOUBLES: H. P. Thomas and T. E. Pearce (rec. 6 points) a byo; G. H. Edwards and C. A. Parker (rec. 7 points) v. Lt. F. B. Humphreys and Cass Morris (rec. 4 points); W. A. Orake and R. Henderson (rec. 7 points); Lt. Col. Fliton and Lt. M. W. Graham (scr.); Capt. Vercer and Lt. Lowell (scr.) a byo.

CHAMPIONSHIP: Lt.-Col. Fliton v. Capt. Vercer; Lt. M. W. Graham v. Lt. Hancock.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25TH, 1906

CHURCH SERVICES.
St. John's Cathedral.

QUINQUEGINTA SUNDAY.
Holy Communion (7.30 a.m.).
Matins (11 a.m.).
R. Responses, Ferial: Venite, Ouseley;
P. alms, Jones, Lomou, Dupuis, King;
Te Deum, Woodward, Smart and
Turle; Benedicuts, Langdon; hymn,
432, 249, 192.
Even-song (5.45 p.m.);
Responses, Ferial: Psalms, Purcell,
Garrett, Walmsley and Turle; Magnificat
and Nunc Dimittis, Maundeville in
d; Anthem, "No Shadows Yon-
der"; Gaul; hymn, 420, 27;
Sevenfold Amen; Voluntary, Ro-
mane, Teckalkowsky.

Union Church, Kennedy Road.

Minister: Rev. C. H. Hickling.
11 a.m.—Worship: Hymn 128; Chant
12, Anthem: "Jesus Word of God"
(Gounod), hymn 67, 40.
12 noon—Communion around the Lord's
Table, Hymn 405.
4 p.m.—Sunday School at Union Church
and in British School, Kowloon.
6 p.m.—Worship: Hymn 122, 169, 182,
24, 350.
7 p.m.—Farewell in School all to those
leaving Hongkong.

Wednesday—Annual Meeting of Hong-
kong and New Territory Evangelical-
ism Society.

8.45 p.m.—Light refreshments.

8 p.m.—Meeting.

Thursday, 9 p.m.—Literary Club Paper
on "Books and their worth" by Mr
J. L. Macpherson.

Friday 7.30 p.m.—Christian Endeavour
Society: Subject: "Hosea and
Revival."

St. Peter's Church, Queen's Road
West.

QUINQUEGINTA SUNDAY.

Morning Prayer 11 a.m.;
Venice, Tucker; Te Deum, Jackson;
Benedicuts, Garrett; hymns, 1, 364,
298, 466; Kyrie, Arnold.

Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.

Cantata, Monk; Deus, Hopkins; hymn,
376, 369, 271, 55.

Holy Communion (7.45 p.m.).

The Church launch Day-spring will
call on the ships carrying white crews
to bring friends ashore to the services
between 9.15 and 10.30 a.m., and between
6.15 and 6 p.m. (Kowloon Police Pier,
16.30 and 6), returning afterwards.
The answering pennant in the call flag.
All the sittings are free and unappropriated.
Visitors welcome. Hymn Books, &c.,
provided.

Sunday School: 10—10.45 a.m.

Wesleyan Methodist Church,
Wanchai.

Morning: 10.15 a.m.

Even-song: 6 p.m.

Soldiers' and Sailors' Home,
Arsenal Street.

Sunday evening 8 p.m.

Books provided—seats free—a hearty
welcome.

Sundays, Naval Depot, Kowloon.

Even-song: 8 p.m.

Holy Communion: 8 a.m.

Peak Church.

Deutsche Kirche,

Gottesdienst: um 11 Uhr. In Bethesda
Kapelle, Caine Road.

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jesty's Mail, will be despatched from
this for BOMBAY, on SATURDAY, the
16th March, at NOON, taking Passen-
gers and Cargo for the above Ports in
connection with the Company's a.s.s. *Mongolia*,
5,500 tons, from Colombo. Passengers' accom-
modation in which vessel is secured
before departure from Hongkong.

Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France,
and Tea for London (under arrangement) will
be transhipped at Colombo into the mail
steamers proceeding direct to Marseilles and
London; other cargo for London, &c., will
be conveyed from Bombay by the R.M.S.
Ferries, due in London on the 21st April,
1906.

Pearls will be received at this Office
until 4 p.m. the day before sailing. The
contents and value of all packages are
required.

For further Particulars, apply to

E. A. HEWETT,
Superintendent.

Hongkong, February 24, 1906. 381

To-day's Advertisements



GOVERNMENT BILLS.

TENDERS for SPECIE, BRITISH
AND MEXICAN DOLLARS, current
in this Colony, in Exchange for Sterling
Bills drawn at 10 days' sight on the
Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's
Treasury, London, will be received by the
Chief Paymaster, Army Pay Department,
until 11 A.M. on the 26th February, 1906.

The Tenders to state the total amount
(in Pounds Sterling) and the amount for
which each Bill should be drawn, but no
Bill will be issued for less than £100.

The Tenders to be in Duplicate, sealed
in Stamped Covers, addressed to the Chief
Paymaster, Army Pay Department, and en-
closed TENDERS FOR GOVERNMENT BILLS.

The right to accept or reject any or all of
the tenders is reserved.

Copies of forms of tender can be had on
application.

W. E. GALE, Captain, A.P.D.,
H.M. Treasury Chest Officer.

His Majesty's Treasury Office,
Fleet Street,
Hongkong, February 24, 1906. 384

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK-
ING CORPORATION.

The DIVIDEND declared for the Half-
year ending December, 1905, at the
rate of ONE POUND and FIFTEEN
SHILLINGS together with a Bonus of
£12½ per pound on and after MONDAY,
the 26th day of February, Current, at the
Offices of the Corporation whose Share-
holders are requested to apply for War-
rants.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
J. R. M. SMITH,
Chief Manager,
Hongkong, February 24, 1906. 383

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LTD.
NOTICE OF MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL
MEETING OF THE GREEN ISLAND CEM-
ENT COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at
the OFFICE of the COMPANY, St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria,
Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day
of March, 1906, at 11.30 o'clock A.M., when
the abridged Resolution will be proposed.

Should the Resolution be passed by the
required majority, it will be submitted for
confirmation as a Special Resolution to a
Second Extraordinary Meeting which will
be subsequently convened.

RSOLUTION.

That the Capital of the Company be in-
creased to £2,000,000 by the creation
and issue of 50,000 New Shares of
£10 each fully paid up, to be offered at
par and if accepted to be allotted to
the persons constituting the Share-
holders of the Company according to
the Company's register of Share
holders on the 1st day of July, 1905,
in the proportion of one New Share
for every three Old Shares in the
Company held by the respective
Shareholders thereof, the amount
payable on each of such New Shares
to be paid on the 31st day of July,
1906, and that failing such allotment
as aforesaid, the said New Shares be
disposed of by the General Manager
in accordance with the terms of the
Estate of the Bankrupt.

Notice of Intended Dividends.

No. 6 of 1906.

Re CHAN HING LUN alias CHAN LUT-
WAN, LAI CHUEN Ng and HO Ho
MING lately carrying on business at
Canton House Hotel, No. 18, Queen's
Road Central, Victoria, as Merchants
aforesaid, under the firm name
Loo Lok Kee Tat as Hotel Pro-
prietors.

THE above-named CHAN HING LUN alias
CHAN LUT WAN, LAI CHUEN Ng and
HO Ho MING were adjudicated Bankrupt
on the 22nd day of February, 1906, and
the Official Receiver, Mr. GEORGE HERBERT
WILKINSON, was appointed Trustee of the
Estate of the Bankrupt.

Notice of Intended Dividends.

No. 28 of 1906.

Re The KAM TAX TAX firm, lately trad-
ing at No. 48, Bonham Strand,
Victoria aforesaid, as Merchants.

No. 28 of 1906.

Notice to SHAREHOLDERS.

THE NINETEENTH ORDINARY
ANNUAL MEETING OF SHARE-
HOLDERS will be held in the CITY HALL,
MONDAY, the 12th March, at 12.15
P.M., for the purpose of receiving the
Report of the Directors and the Statement
of Accounts for the year ending 31st
December, 1905.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from 5th to the 12th
March, both days inclusive.

EDWARD OSBORNE,
Secretary.

Hongkong, February 24, 1906. 392

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruc-
tions from J. M. BECK, Esq., to sell
by Public Auction,

TUESDAY,

the 27th February, 1906, at 2 P.M., within
his Residence, DUNFORD, THE PEAK,
THE WHARF, HONGKONG.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
Comprising:

TEAKWOOD HANDBED WITH GLASS, TEAK-
WOOD EXTENSION DINING TABLE, VIENNA
CHAIR, TEAKWOOD SIDEBOARD WITH GLASS,
DINER WAGONS, CROCKERY AND GLASS,
WAIN, BOOMER, E.P. AND SILVER TOP
WASHSTANES AND IRONING TABLES WITH
GLASS, WARDROBE, SHANGHAI BATHS,
COOKING STOVE AND UTENSILS, &c., &c.;
also;

A Quantity of PLANTS IN POTS.

Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS:—As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH,
Auctioneers,

Hongkong, February 24, 1906. 380

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-
tions to sell by Public Auction,

SATURDAY,

the 3rd March, 1906, commencing at
2.30 P.M., at his Sales Rooms,
DUNDEE STREET,

A QUANTITY OF
VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD
FURNITURE,
Comprising:

TAPESTRY COVERED DRAWING ROOM
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MIRRORS, EXTENSION DINING TABLE, TEA
TABLE, TAPESTRY BEDROOMS, &c., &c.;
TEA SETS, &c., &c.;

Double and Single WARDROBES WITH
BEVELLED MIRRORS, TEA BUREAUX WITH
BEVELLED MIRRORS, BEDROOMS, &c., &c.

TERMS:—As customary.

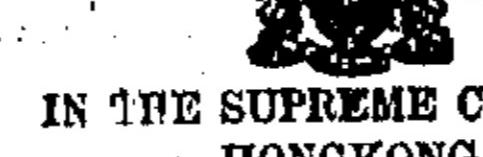
On view from Friday, the 2nd March,

1906.

GEO. P. LAMMERT,
Auctioneer,

Hongkong, February 24, 1906. 388

To-day's Advertisements

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF
HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

Notice of Receiving Order and First
Meeting of Creditors.

No. 61 of 1906.

Re The SUN Wo San Po Firm, lately
trading at No. 28, Tung Man Lane,
Granary Bay, Victoria, in the Colony
of Hongkong, Coal Merchants.

Receiving Order dated the 8th day of
February, 1906.

Petition dated the 30th day of Novem-
ber, 1905.

Receiving Order dated the 8th day of
February, 1906.

Petition dated the 30th day of November,
1905.

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February, 1906.

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